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SUBJECT: PROPOSAL FOR JOINT PROGRAM BETWEEN USGS AND GMRD

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1. EMBASSY WELCOMES VISIT OF CHIDESTER. GOS HAS AGREED TO VISIT, AND IN LETTER TO CHARGE INDICATED THAT ARRANGEMENTS WILL BE MADE FOR CHIDESTER TO SEE APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS HERE. EMBASSY HAS MADE TENTATIVE HOTEL RESERVATIONS AT MERIDIEN, BUT WE NEED TO KNOW EXACT ETA TO MAKE FIRM RESERVATIONS AND TO ARRANGE FOR CHIDESTER TO BE MET AT AIRPORT.

2. COMMENT: IN TERMS OF DEVELOPMENT OF POSSIBLE COOPERATIVE PROGRAM BETWEEN USGS AND GMRD, EMBASSY BELIEVES CHIDESTER VISIT WILL BE TIMELY AND USEFUL. ONLY SNAG IS THAT IT MAY CONFLICT WITH LOCAL THREE DAY EID AL-FITR HOLIDAY, EXACT DATES OF WHICH NOT PRESENTLY KNOWN. IS THERE ANY CHANGE THAT CHIDESTER COULD REMAIN HERE AN EXTRA DAY IF NECESSARY?

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